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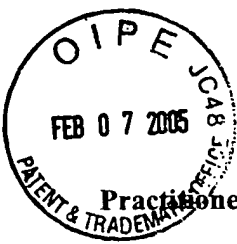
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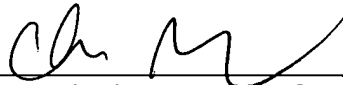
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Col. 7, line 47

replace "h. a said attachment portion further comprises a fastener"
with --h. said attachment portion further comprises a fastener--.

Col. 7, line 49

replace "combination with said fastener means, said first portion"
with --combination with fastener means;--.

Col. 7, line 50

replace "is a first flange"
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